

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA

BRUCE MCGRONE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

TAGGART BOYD, Warden;  
CORPORAL SORENSEN, Guard;  
THE STATE OF NEBRASKA DEPT.  
OF CORRECTIONS, and SHELLY R.  
STRATMAN, Judge;

Defendants.

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**MEMORANDUM  
AND ORDER**

This matter is before the court on correspondence from the Plaintiff dated October 10, 2018, which the court construes as a motion for extension of time. ([Filing No. 23](#).) Upon consideration of Plaintiff's request, the court will grant Plaintiff's motion for extension.

However, the court admonishes Plaintiff that any future documents he files with the court **must** include his case number and a proper description or designation of its contents such as "Motion for Extension of Time." *See* NECivR [10.1\(a\)\(3\)](#). The court has advised Plaintiff of these requirements on at least two prior occasions. (*See* Filing Nos. [12](#) & [18](#).) In addition, Plaintiff should direct any requests for relief to the court, rather than the clerk of the court. Contrary to Plaintiff's belief that the clerk "can help [him] off the record," ([filing no. 23 at CM/ECF p. 4](#)), under 28 U.S.C. § 955, the clerk of the court cannot provide legal advice to Plaintiff or any individual.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Plaintiff's letter, construed as a motion for extension of time ([filing no. 23](#)), is granted. Plaintiff has until **November 21, 2018**, to pay his initial partial filing fee of \$4.15.

2. The clerk's office is directed to set a pro se case management deadline in this case using the following text: **November 21, 2018**: initial partial filing fee payment due.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 2018.

BY THE COURT:

*s/ Richard G. Kopf*  
Senior United States District Judge